

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application Number : 10/657,752 Confirmation No.: 1173  
Applicant : ALBERT, Kenneth Stephen, *et al.*  
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Title : CHRONOTHERAPEUTIC DILTIAZEM FORMULATIONS AND  
THE ADMINISTRATION THEREOF  
  
TC/Art Unit : 1615  
Examiner: : Humera N. SHEIKH  
Docket No. : 56819.420301 (*formerly* 54203US)  
Customer No. : **21967**

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**RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Office Action mailed January 17, 2007, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on **page 2** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on **page 39** of this paper.